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Select Miscellany.

M. W. Ransom's Great Speech.

The great speech of Senator M. W. Ransom continues to attract the attention of the press of other States. They are filled with extracts from it, and the fact that each paper we peruse copies different portions, is evidence of the force and beauty of the whole.

elaborate or exhaustive argument could not have been made, while in beauty of style and elegance of diction, it will compare favorably with the most celebrated orations that have been preserved to as either from ancient or modern times. The simple object of the orator seems to have been to lay before the country mind an image of transcendent virtue, which a full and calm statement of the whole cause of the quarrel-or rather, to give all the reasons that could be adduced to show that there is no further cause of quarrel between the North and South; and it is to be regretted that a copy of the speech could not be placed in the possession of every family in both sections of the country. We have read the greater portion of it over, and find nothing which should not meet the approval of the most prejudiced and un-reasoning partisan, if he still have the smallest particle of love of country, veneration for its past, or hope for its future in his selfish constitution. While we cannot give General Ransom's speech in full, there are portions of it which we feel we should be derelict in our duty not to reproduce, if only to afford our readers the opportunity to judge of the merits of the whole by the strength and beauty of its parts.

The reply to the apparent assumption on the part of the Republicans of the North that the Southern people are still dangerous to the peace of the country—that they are a band of traitors, red-handed murderers and assassins, stained with barbarism, and guilty of the blackest deeds in human history, he said:

"Perhaps there is something in the history

of this Southern people that justifies this frightful suspicion and fills the minds of Senators with alarm and dread. That cannot be. For they are the children of brave English ancestors who for love of civil and religions liberties, left the shores of Europe and settled the New World. They are the immediate descendants of the bold and wise men who helped to establish American Independence, and to frame this grand magnificent government. Their illustrious futhers have certainly handed down to them the berty and the princi tutional freedom. We have inherited it for debts at the present time: eight hundred years from our ancestors; but those ancestors have not transmitted any taint of or example for secret treason. In the En glish heart the spirit of conspiracy never found a genial home. It is the growth of other soils. But have no recent events, you will say, furnished reasonable grounds for these apprehensions of a secret colossal organization hostile to the government? Has not the South just emerged from a gigantic war which menaced the very existence of the Union? That is very true; but remember that it was open, bold, defiant war—threatened for years, proclaimed here, published to the world; declared by the press, from the pulpit and the hustings; the blessings of Heaven and the opinion of mankind invoked in its behalf, and the lives of a people offered to vindicate its justice. It was no concealed, hidden, mysterious, masked conspiracy. Had it been, never, could it have enlisted the devoted hearts of the noble people who sacrificed every thing but honor around its shrine. Its purposes were spoken here; they were never conealed nor denied. Its councils were in the light of Heaven. Its lines of battle stretched across the continent. Brave hearts in broad day were its defenses, and around it clustered the hopes and pride of a pure and patriotic peo-Are courage, truth, honor, consistency fortitude and unsullied virtue evidences that the people who possess them will descend from that high estate, and, forgetful of all duty, resort to the lowest practices of cowardice and erime? If this be true, human character is indeed worthless, national honor a mockery and an imposture.

Senators, if you will think for a moment: if you will reflect upon the charater of the people whom you denounce, their history, the lan-grage they speak, their associations, their great ancestors, their brotherhood with you for nearly a century, and their position now, you cannot believe this calumny. Do you, can you, believe that a people from whom have sprung in each succeeding generation for one hundred years, a line of statesmen, divines, scholars and heroes inferior to none in any portion of the Union have suddenly descended under the shadow of your civilization to the depth of barbarism? Does history of human experience justify any such conclusion?

And yet you call now upon the public opinion of the world to believe that one-half of our whole nation, brothers in blood with you, sharers of the same inheritance of your fathers, honored American freemen, educated, virtuous and associated with you-you call upon the pounds by five .- Charlotte Democrat. world to believe that they are now guilty and habitually guilty of darker crimes than have ever been committed in human history. And instead of devoting our energies, our patriotism, our intelligence, and our virtues here to develor reform and improve this great country, we are now carrying on a war on the floor of this Senate, with each other almost as bitter, and I fear not quite as manly, as that in which we were engaged a few years ago upon the Potomac and

the Susquehanna. Senators, this is wrong. Before God it is that I have thought of for twenty years. I remember the story, told I think by Thucydides, of the two Greek generals who had not spoken to one another for years. A bitter and hereditary fend separated them. The Persians were at the gates of Athens. The lines of battle were drawn in front of the city. The Persian hosts, vastly superior in numbers, confronted the thin line of Greeks, and the great fear within the city was that the dissension between the two generals might cause defeat and ruin. Just before the battle commenced, the historian says, from either wing of the Greek lines, the rival leaders were seen approaching in front of their troops, and simultaneously reaching the centre impulsively seized each other's hands and exclaimed-I remember the old Greek words-"Let us bury our anger!" Need I repeat that victory shone upon that God-like act of pa-

They buried their anger: and why cannot you and I, the North and the South, shake hands and bury our anger? I think I know the South. I was born south of the Potomac. My aucestors have lived there for two hundred years. I was raised there; I was educated there; I hardly know of any other place. Everything I have is there. I love her people erything I have is there. I love her people there is there is there is there is there is there is the end of the end of the end of the distilleries consumed what little grain was raised in the country, and thereby snatched the bread from the mouths of starving women and children. "Sir," exclaim-

of the people. I do not think-I know it is their In reply to Senator Edmunds' allusion to

General Lee, Senator Ransom said:

I was not present when the discussion took place between my friend, the Senator from Georgia (Mr. Gordon), and the distinguished Senator from Vermont (Mr. Edmunds). I did name of General Lee. I regret that I did not, and for a very different reason from what that Senator may suppose. The mention of that name, Mr. President, can never give me anything but pleasure. If for a moment, at any time during this debate, I had lost sight of my duty; if I had permitted personal resentment and sectional passion to obscure the path I should tread; if I had forgotten the high character that should attach to a Senator of my country; let me assure the Senator that he could have mentioned no name with more talismanic power to bring me back to the line of my own and my country's honor. The very memory of the name of Lee now reminds me that this is not the place nor the time to vindicate a life that has passed to the tribunal of history; but I will say that name inspires me with higher and purer devotion to my country. The Richmond Enquirer says: "A more It elevates me above sectional lines, it lifts me over local and temporary prejudices, it animates me to embrace the nation in the sentiments of patriotism, and it commands me to be constant in laboring to unite the American people. Far from feeling any mortification at the Senator's allusion, I thank him for presenting to my can never cease to excite my highest aspiration for excellence.

Mr. President, there was not a soldier in the Army of the Potomac who did not render to that grand impersonation of courage, dignity, virtue and manly and Christian grace the homage of a soldier's respect. It was my fortune at Appomattox Court-house to see General Lee and General Grant side by side. That scene can never fade from my memory. I see them now as they then stood. I remember both-the one for his majestic serenity under defeat, the other for his quiet magnanimity in victory; qualities which, if exercised by the American people would long since have restored every heart within its limits to affection for the Union."

THE DEBTS OF THE WORLD.

We endeavored nearly two years ago to give in these columns an approximate estimate of the national debts of the world. We concluded on that occasion that the indebtedness of the world might be placed at about £1,200,000,000 During the two years which have passed since then there is good reason to believe that a large addition has been made to this sum. New countries and old countries vie with each other in the money markets of Europe, and even China has within the last few week commenced a national debt. There is considerable difficulty in ascertaining the liabilities of the various nations which are thus heavily indebted. The annual almanaes give us some assistance on the subject, and the careful information which the Economist publishes in the "Investor's Manual" affords also considerable help in solving the question. The following are the best estimates we can form of the principal nation

ŀ	debts at the Present time.		
t	3.1	Debt.	Interest paid
	France,	£900,000,000	£33,000,000
	England.	780,000,000	26,700,000
	United States,	440,000,000	20,600,000
	Italy,	390,000,000	15,350,000
	Austria,	350,000,000	15,000,000
	Spain,	375.000,000	11,000,000
	Russia,	340,000,000	13,450,000
	Turkey,	135,000,000	9,500,000
	Germany,	200,000,000	9,000,000
	Egypt,	75,000,000	7,500,000
	India,	130.000,000	5,900,000
	Mexico,	63,500,000	4,000,000
	Brazil,	82,000,000	3,100,000
	Australia,	46,000,000	2,700,000
	Peru,	37,000,000	2,600.000
	Holland,	80,000,000	2,250,000
	Portugal,	69,000,000	2,150,000
	Belgium,	36,000,000	1,750,000
	Hungary,	32,000,000	1,500,000
	Canada,	30,000,000	1,500,000
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The debts of the twenty countries above named impose a charge of £188,000,000 a year on their inhabitants. If we add £11,000,000 or £12,000,000 for the unerumerated debts, the national debts must impose a charge of £200,-000,000 on the tax payers of the world, or of twice the sum which France, the country with the largest revenue in the world, is annually

The rate of interest which these countries are severally paying on the nominal amount of latest quotations on the Stock Exchange, some of these may be given as fellows: England, 34 per cent; India, 4 per cent; Holland, 44 per cent; Canada, 4½ per cent; Australia, 4½ per cent; United States, 4¾ per cent; France, 5 per cent; United States, 4½ per cent; United States, cent; Russia, 5 per cent; Brazil, 5 per cent; Italy, 6 per cent; Portugal, 6 per cent; Hungary, 7½ per cent; Egypt, 8 per cent; Turkey. 10 per cent; Peru, 10 per cent; Spain, 15 per seut; Mexico, 18 per cent.—Pall Mall (Eng.)

Gazette. It will be seen that the above estimates are lions of dollars. The debts of other countries 2,000 francs a month. can be ascertained in dollars by multiplying

GLASS.

Probably the Romans were the first to em oloy glass for windows. Some remnants of buried houses of Herculaneum and Pompeii. They substituted glass as a material for bottles have to leave your individualty at the door. in place of the leather which is still in vogue You are no longer anything but a number, taxamong the poorer classes in the Orient. Epicureans in wine then, as now, determined the age of their asticle by the seal upon the cork, and sive. With this exception, you may secure, at wicked. Cannot we stop it? An incident in the label impressed upon the glass goblets were history occurs to me now which I do not know less popular. Gold and silver reluctantly yielded the palm to their new-fangled rival, which owe anything to anybody, not even to the waitsought popularity by appealing, not to the poverty of the poor, but to the desire of novelty among the rich. Even artificial stones and pearls of glass were known to the Romans; but whether they depended exclusively as they did certainly chiefly, upon the resources of the Jews-polished metals-is a question of grave dispute among the learned in such matters. A dispute into which we shall not venture to enter. It is safe, however, to say that the only use of glass which modern art can claim with assurance, as its own, is the employment of it in those optical instruments which are at once the parents and children of much of modern

A Deputy Marshal, of Asheville, while searching for illicit distilleries in Yancey county, came across one superintended by a woman, who stoutly resisted the officer in levying on the contraband property. She denounced the Revenue laws as oppressive and the tax as a fraud. The officer attempted to reason the matter with her, by stating that the distilleries consumed ed the she-boss of the boiling cauldron, "bread will be compelled to shell out about \$102,500 server was destroyed, nevertheless.—Asheville sentiment I utter here to-day is the sentiment Pionesr.

CENTENARIANS.

The approaching Centenial of our National Independence appears to have brought to light a large number of persons who were living at the time of its declaration. We do not remember to have seen at any former period the announcement of so many deaths at the advanced age of 100 years, or of so many livings ones who have completed a century. The following have been mentioned in the papers within the last two or three weeks, and perhaps many more that we have not happened to notice:

BALTIMORE, March 2, 1875.—Mary Smith died at the House of the Little Sisters of the Poor, a Catholic benevolent institution in this city, on Wednesday last, aged 117. She was born in Baltimore county in 1758.

Mrs. Susan Carr (colored,) died in this city on Friday evening, aged 105 years. Lucy Hawkins, colored, died in Washington) February 22d (Washington's birth-day) at the

advanced age of 115 years. Mrs. Elizabeth Etheridge, the mother of Emerson Ethridge, of Tennessee, has just died at

the age of 102. Mrs. Mary White, of Braintree, celebrated her 100th birth-day, last week, five generations

sitting down together at tea. Mrs. Anna Gross, of Amherst, N. H., celebrated her 105th birthday last week, one of her guests being Person C. Cheney, of Manchester, the republican candidate for governor, who is a relative of hers.
Mrs. Lucinda Parker, of North Reading, Mass.,

will be 100 years of age next October. Save a little deafness, she has full use of her faculties Alexander Bonner is still living at Bakersfield, Vt., at the age of 105, and is still quite

Benjamin Upton, of the same place, is 100 years old this month. A recent local election at Greenbush, 'N. Y.

was attended by an electron at Greenoush, N. 1., was attended by an electron amed Whalan, who is more than 104 years of age.

We happened, recently, in connection with this subject, to turn to Allen's American Biographical Dictionary, and were surprised to find such a list of persons in this country who had attained and exceeded the age of 100 years. It gives the names of more than two hundred. Adam Eve died in Pennsylvania, at the age of Ange died in Pennsylvania, in 1767, at the age of 134. Matthias Bayler died in North Carelina, in 1789, at the age of 136. He was baptized when 134 years old. His eyesight was good, and his strength remarkable until the time of

in 1752, aged 116. Her portrait is in the mus-

eum of the Historical Society.

daughter, aged seven, being allowed to testify so hard a master as we sometimes suppose. against her that she was a witch, and took the form of a black cat, saying she was her mother. Mr. Carrier's head was not bald nor his hair gray in his last years. He travelled on foot six miles a few days before his death to see a sick man, and the very day before he died, visited his neighbors .- N. Y. Observer.

to his paper in Paris the following account of the hotels in that city. The description will ceive a greater sum for worrying Tilton. Mr. answer for the hotels of any large city in the United States. The writer says: Everybody has gone to Innia, to defend the guicowar of knows what is to be found in the hotels with Bardora, in a prosecution for murder, gets \$50.monumental frontage and a thousand rooms. | 000 for this case alone. Beach, of Tilton's They have everywhere grand stairs, costly carpets, bath rooms on every floor, luxurious dining-rooms, elevators for travelers, for luggage, for servants, private or public drawing-rooms, and elegant bourdoirs for ladies. Nothing has been forgotten—not even the special chamber nerated as great lawyers. Booth has made his - for newly married people — " the wedding \$12,000 a month. Jefferson has passed this sum oo room." Cold and hot water are driven up to in the same time. It is thought that in a seathe smallest nooks. Gas is everywhere. The vexatious tax of the wax candle, familiar to European continental hotels, is unknown. There is the office where you can procure a railroad or steamboat ticket; there the barber-shop, the paper or cigar stand; there the dealer in fancy ry week at Wallack's. Great physicians find articles, the jeweler, the druggest, the tailor, the hatter—they belong to the hotel. As for the bar-room, it is gorgeous and always crowd- year's practice. ed, and next to it is a spacious hall with a half dozen billiard tables. From five o'clock in the morning until mid-

their debt must not be confounded at the rate night there is feeding, unceasingly and on a at which they can now borrow. Judged by the large scale; breaktast, luncheon, dinner, tea, supper, at regular hours and in regular order, You may eat five meals a day, sit five times at a table, and without feeling ashamed, for there

From a bill of fare, longer than that of any restaurant, you may select as many dishes as you please; you are not limited nor charged extra. But the style of cooking will disappoint you, and also the manner of serving. All the dishes are produced at once, and to season them according to your taste you are confronted by a whole laboratory of sauces and spices. The is 2,200,000,000 dollars) twenty-two hundred mil- ary as large as that of a minister, as much as

glass panes are to be found to-day in the he will not be asked to stay, as there are always travelers enough. When you enter, you ed so much a day, except for wine and other luxuries, which are extra, and are rather expenof those capharnaums. Besides this, you do not ers, negroes or Irishmen, who, by the way, are your equals, and render you the least and worst possible service, but do not bother you by beg-

There are whole families who are fond of this sort of life, and who settle in hotels. They find it more convenient and economical to live thus on the wing than to have a home of their own, for the borrowed luxury of these hired houses is calculated to please upstarts and shoddies. These resident guests, almost as numerous as occasional passengers, are easily known. In the evening their ladies come to the table in ball attire, with flowers in their thir, and low neck dresses. They eat in a hurry, absorb large quantities of ice water, cultivate a taste for champagne, and afterwards are seen promenading in long, halls ornamented with lookingglasses and brilliantly illuminated. It is Vanity Fair in its crudest display.

Spain has agreed to pay the United States \$2,500 reparation for each American citizen who was killed as a prisoner on the Virginius see them in Louisiana. I see them in Texas. I know them in Virginia. I am in the very bosom of the South, and I think the be worth more.

THE ELEMENTS OF OUR NATIONAL STRENGTH.

They all spring from the soil. There can be no civilization where the soil is not cultivated. Civilization never belonged to nomadic life. from country to country consuming the natural products of the soil, and moving on as rapidly as they were consumed. Wherever nations, or communities, or tribes, have halted long enough

Nations that have lived chiefly on commerce change for bread that was raised by other countries. The first institution ever established in the

world was that of a family. Out of these primeval forces have sprung communities, laws, governments, religion, civilization. All the wealth of the world comes from the soil, and the wealth of a nation, and the aggregate wealth of the world depend on an exact ratio to the amount of labor well directed and intelligently performed on the soil. The products of the soil ix the value of overything else.

It is not enough to raise bread out of the soil The question comes up, how much bread and meat, and fruit and clothing can be brought out of a given area of ground in the best condition and with the least labor and injury to the source of production.

This principle of modern science, as applied agriculture, has only begun to be understood ven by the ablest agriculturists.

What the soil is, not one man on the earth yet perfectly understands, much less is any thing known on the subject by many of those who plant and reap.

Just in proportion, therefore, as knowledge on these subjects is multiplied, exactly in that proportion is wealth increased, and all the arts hat adorn and embellish civilized life.

TAKE TIME TO REST.

Most men and women keep in the traces and eep pulling, the year round. All the more, herefore, is it their duty to take things easier 104. Abraham Bogart died in Tennessee, in as the hot weather comes on. Take longer rests the year 1833, at the age of 118. Francis at noon. Put on less steam when you are at work. Snatch a Sunday now and then from the middle of the week. You can't? You can. People find time to be sick and die. They can just as easily find time to rest and keep well. Everything does not depend on finishing that his death. Mary Davie died at Newton, Mass., dress or fencing that field; or "putting up" so much fruit or catching so many customers. Bet-ter that the children should wear old clothes Phillp Crull, a native of Germany, died on than that their mothers should be laid aside with his farm at Fairfax county, Va., in 1813, at the a fever. Better that the corn crop be a little age of 115. He was active until the day of his lighter than that there be no one to harvest it. death. His wife died at the age of 101. John Let us have shorter sermons and fewer of them Callamore, a native of Ireland, died at Kensing- on Sunday; longer recesses for the children at ton, N. H., 1825, at the age of 110. His hair, school on week days. Put up the store shut-which had been silvery white, became jet black ters earlier at night; prepare planer meals in before his death. Thomas Carrier, a native of the kitchen. Take a noon day nap yourself, England, died, in 1735, at Colchester, Conn., and give your employees a chance to go fishing at the age of 109. He married Martha Allen, on an afternoon now and then. That only is a victim to the Salem witcheraft, in 1664, her due which the Lord lays upon us, and he is not

Some one has been guessing at and gossiping

about the moneyed reward of well known professional men. Charles O'Connor, it is said, has a larger income from his practice than any lawyer in America, the Jumel case alone bringing him a million and a quarter in money. Sir Roundell Palmer, who was opposed to Evarts A Frenchman on a visit to New York writes practice. For defending Johnson, Evarts received \$10,000, and it is not thought he will re Sergeant Ballantine, of the London bar, who counsel, is thought to be working for a contingent fee. Jeremiah Black is said to trouble himself more about his case than his fee, preferring to win and get nothing than lose and be son of forty weeks Clara Morris will make \$70, 000, while Charlotte Cushman's lingering fare wells are a kind of dramatic bonanza. Boucicault, between his royalty as play wright and millions in their healing art, Mott, Parker, and

Throughout Europe, even in England, twenty-five years ago they used sickles to cut wheat. To them the cradle scythe was an experiment. When McCormick's reaper was exhibited at the Crystal Palace it was ridiculed by a leading London periodical as "an ugly cross between a flying machine and a wind mill." When Jethro Wood's cast-iron plow, which has saved to the farmers of this country ten million of dollars, was first introduced, it met unsparing ridicule. The first man who budded a fruit tree was doubtless regarded as a greater fool than the subscriber a few years ago to an agricultural paper; and the man who first "ploughed in' clover to renovate the soil was doubtless advised by his neighbors to go to the lunatic asylum n pounds and not dollars. An English pound head cook is probably French, but he has left or join the Agricultural Society. The first at is about five dollars of American gold; therefore the good traditions behind. He has to adapt the debt of the United States (440,000,000 pounds himself to new requirements, and draws a salprove a limb rightly fashioned by the Creator. It is less than a century since people were mob-It is necessary to comply with the discipline bed in England for attempting the introduction of the establishment, and to feel disposed to eat of a saw mill, insisting on the prescriptive right certain things only at certain hours. The un- of the labor to the employment of eleaving lumsophisticated foreigner, lost in these deafening ber with wedges, and it is said that no physicaravanseries, frets and complains. His com- cian who had reached the age of forty embracplaints are unheeded; people have not time to ed at its announcement, or ever admitted, Harnotice them. If he is not satisfied, he can go vey's discovery of the circulation of the blood

> THE BIGGEST FARM.-Sullivan's farm in Ohio is about eight miles square and contains about 44,000 acres. Number of hands employed, about 600; mules and horses, 1,000; cattle (oxen) 50; numbers of acres in corn, 10,000; acres in small grain, 3,000; acres in tame grass, 3,000; head of hogs, 1,100; head of cattle, 600 everything is run in regular style. He can tell what it costs to raise a bushel of grain on any section of his farm, also the cost each month to feed the hands. The hands are all hired by the month and boarded. There is a resident doctor who attends to the sick. According to actual figures it is demonstrated that 11 cents per bushel, in ordinary seasons, will put corn in the crib, and 26 cents per day will board the hands. The following is the bill of fare for June, 1874; Smoked shoulder, mess beef, fresh beef, flour bread, rice, beans, tea, coffee, sugar, dried apples, vinegar, molasses, lard, spices, eggs, fresh vegetables, etc.; cost per capita, 264 cents. A general stock of goods is kept. from which the men are supplied at cost. An elevator of 30,000 bushels capacity is about ready to receive grain. - Coleman's Rural

> The Raleigh News says: The confirmation in the College Chapel of St. Mary's School on Wednesday night, the 31st ult., was witnessed by a large attendance from the city. Bishop Lyman preached a most excellent sermon and was assisted in the ceremony by Revs. Dr. Smedes, Mr. Marshal and Mr. Rich. Twentytwo young ladies were confirmed.

WHY THE ENDS DO NOT MEET.

There are thousands of families in this counry and abroad who have always difficulty in making ends meet. Many of them are diligent workers and earn well, but their purpose of cot-The Asiatic hordes that swept over Europe tage and comfort are frustrated, and their pursfrom the plains of Asia, had no civilization. es empty. They are constantly falling short of Alike with the American Indian, they passed their desired goal. They are that large class who are ever making mortgages on their earnings before they are received. They always flatter themselves that great successes are in store for them next year; so they go on spendto cultivate the soil, from instincts of self-preservation, then agriculture gave a basis to civilization. the shoulders of rich neighbors they must have. have had to sell the fruits of their labor in ex- Everything that contributes to manhood and independence is sacrificed in order to get it. That was not the way Benjamin Franklin mounted up to high eminence in financial and intellectual strength. He earned before he spent, and always expended with thoughtful judgment. His investments always brought home good returns. He was a friend of struggling worth, and because a wise spendor he was capable of giving a helping hand where help was needed. Franklin always made the ends meet, and helped others to do so.

In the matter of domestic expenditures we have lost the common sense of our forefathers, and have, consequently, missed the contentment which distinguished them. We must, if we would be independent and able to help others, have reference again to first principles, and re-fuse to encroach upon capital, dealing sparing-ly even with the interest income. The family that would be prosperous and powerful for good, must reduce their wants and increase their exertions. In the day of activity and high wages, preparation is to be made for rainy days, and how can this be done if, in the swelling tide, every member of the family, with fur and feathers, is aping the style and the outlay of families whose income is ten times as great.

This is the supreme folly of the times. It has crept into the church and is there doing infinite mischief, for with pain we record the intelligence that the Christian schemes and the efforts of philanthropists are hampered because of the silly expenditures upon self and and families which are everywhere seen. We fill our wardrobes, load down our tables, entertain sumptuously, while missionaries are being recalled or starving at their domestic missions. The Lord surely comes to judgment with such folly and sweeps away the power that consum-es upon lusts what was intended to lift the world up to christian intelligence. The money we possess is intrusted to us to comfort the fatherless, the widow and the benighted, and when we are unfaithful to our trust we realize that as we have treated others so are we now

What shall we say of that large class who daily waste, aye, worse than waste, dollar after dollar upon rum and tobacco? Who is surprised that these people after a while are unable to make the ends meet, and that their families are thriftless and extravagant? There are thonsands of families living in fashionable and expensive quarters, sweating and scheming to equal their neighbors in what is called gentiliy, ordering from the markets canvas-back lucks and the choicest cuts, who are wasting their substance and beggaring themselves. In the course of time a panie strikes these pitiful families, and they are more helpless than dismantled ships in a storm.

That finished scholar and great apostle, St. Paul, had a trade. He always made the ends meet. He wasn't too proud to work at that trade for his daily bread, even when he was the bearer of heaven's high commission. He would not be burdensome to any. Of course he never

No wonder the people were ready to give him themselves. St. Paul was a great door. He had no dificulty in suiting himself to altered circumstances. He was content in whatever condition he was placed.

Dollars, like our faculties, are from God, and if we misuse them, certain it is there will be difficulty in making the ends meet. There is nothing like the common sense of Christianity to make families comfortable. Investments for others never fail of dividends .- New York Wit-

DELICATE PEOPLE.

There is constant sympathy expressed by robust people for those of slight physical consti-We think the sympathy ought to turn in the opposite direction. It is the delicate people who escape the most fearful disorders, nd in three cases out of four, live the longest. These gigantic structures are almost always reckless of health. They say "nothing hurts me," and so they stand in draughts, and go out into the night air to cool off, and eat crabs at midnight and doff their flannels in April, and get

their feet wet. But delicate people are shy of peril, they know that disease has been fishing for them for twenty years and they keep away from the hook. No trout can be caught if he sees the shadew of the sportsmen on the brook. These people whom everybody expects to die, live on most tenaciously.

We know of a young lady who evidently married a wealthy man of eighty-five years, on the ground that he was very delicate and with eference to her one-third. But the aged invalid is so careful of his health, and the young wife is so careless of her's, that it is now uncertain whether she will inherit his store-houses, or he inheret her wedding-rings. Health and longevity depend more upon care

ful and intelligent management of one's self than upon original physical outfit. Paul's advice to the sheriff is appropriate to people in all occupations: "Do thyself no harm!"

TROUBLE AT THE NORTH.

It is a sad task to read the reports which or less informed of the violent extreme to pants. While the dwelling-house property is which one party to these difficulties has gone in holding up well, the stores and offices are fallgion of that State have not only left their work, ness does not seem to be confined to any speto do which is certainly their right, however cial section of the city or any particular busiinexpedient it may be, but they have begun a reign of terror and in armed bands march from mine to mine and forcibly prevent all labor are about one-third more buildings now open the strong hand of the State executive wielding | tween 30 and 40 per cent. the militia, and, if need be, backed by the army of the United States.

But, outside of Pennsylvania and from all the mining and manufacturing regions, whether of Ohio, Missouri, New York or New England, comes the same story of labor striking for higher wages. It is deplorable folly, for it cannot gain its end and will only furuish, instead of all kinds are at the lowest ebb and cannot pay obliged to be in an erect posture. the advance demanded, and the sole result of strikes is to close to the strikers the doors of the factory at the very moment when they need most to be employed.

beautiful specimens of chalcedony are natives of this State. Such, however, is the fact, and the old primitive granite formations are the the old primitive grantle formations are the place where they may be found. By referring to the American Journal of Science, Vol. II, p. peared at the grave when the lid was being the will be seen that Prof. Sheppard has disserted at the grave when the lid was being screwed down the last time and put in the cof-253, it will be seen that Prof. Sheppard has dis covered the diamond in North Carolina. Others | fin a palm leaf fan, and a iinen coat and a therhave also been discovered besides the one here | mometer, which is only used in warm climates. referred to. There is in the possession of a gentle man in Cabarrus a piece of sapphire cut from a Gen. Joseph E. Johnson has courteously ac- piece, the commercial value of which was \$100 gold. But no fillibuster can properly claim to Committee to act as Chief Marshal on the 20th Philadelphia to be equal to anything he ever industrious, liberal or kind-hearted people never industrious, liberal or kind-hearted people never industrious in the State. saw from the Orient.—Agricultural Journal. er inhabited any town or city in the State.

[COMMUNICATED.]

A VISIT TO NAZARETH, PENN.

send the following short communication.

Messrs. Editors: It was the privilege of one of your readers to spend the season of Easter at the well known Moravian town of Nazareth, Penn., and for those whom it may interest, I

The scenery around this place, as is well known, is very beautiful, the town being built on an elevated section of country. By ascending the gently sloping hill at the side of the town, to the so-called "Indian monument," a magnificent view may be obtained. The country stretches out before you on all sides with its multitude of farms, and in the back-ground the eye may follow different ranges of mountains, till they are lost in the distant mist and haze. While the different views affor tors are very pleasant, it also hat tages in the piercing wind in cereased cold, in consideration Although our visit was in the letter of March, when our rising from time enjoy pleasures of Spring, here be Winter at full sway. On the 22d of March the the eter showed 10 degrees above the control of eter showed 10 degrees above zero, which would have done justice to a genuine mid-win ter day. In fact the weather during the season through which we have just passed, has been remarkable. According to the record of an old gentleman, we had, including March 25th, the round number of 100 days' sleighing something unprecedented in the recollection of any of the inhabitants. The same gentleman reports that over 9 feet of snow fell during the winter, and that 7 inches of solid ice were found to be in the road where the sleighs had been passing back and forth. With such masses of snow yet remaining it appears as if Spring was

still far off. The services in the Moravian church during Easter week, are much the same as with you. at Salem. The meetings during the latter part of Passion Week were very interesting and solemn, but the litany which was prayed on the burying ground, early Easter Sunday morning. in connection with the surrounding circumstances, formed one of the most interesting scenes your correspondent has ever had the

oleasure of witnessing.

At 15 minutes after 5 o'clock in the morning. congregation had assembled at the church and following the band of trombones proceeded to the graveyard. When the procession had reached this spot (which is about half way np the hill to the west of town), the litany was read. The air was clear and bracing. So clear was it that during the intervals between the singing, the trombones in the neighboring town, some 2 miles distant, could be distinctly heard, playing the tunes we had just finished. When the litany was concluded the congregation stood watching the sun rising from behind the distant range of mountains.

You, who have stood upon some elevated peak in Western North Carolina, and have beheld the first rays of the sun appearing from behind a far off range of hills or mountains, can imagine to yourselves the beauty of this Easter morning seene.

The day proved to be one of pleasant early Spring, one of those which had been so long looked for, and before evening the sun had made a marked "impression" upon the snow banks. But still May will doubtless see many of these banks still standing. Easter Monday was also a pleasant day, that

is, pleasant for Pennsylvania. And, as we bid udicu to our friends at Nazareth, we wished them a speedy realization of their wishes for Spring.

GERMAN FRUGALITY.-No stranger can reside in Germany for any length of time and form ever a moderate acquaintance with the citizens without becoming Improssed by the contentment, frugality and union usually reigning in the German domestic circle. The family of many a man doing a large business and moving in society of the highest respectability often occupy but ohe floor, and every room is furnished with great simplicity. One soldom observes a disposition to occupy a whole house, Just enough rooms to satisfy every requirement, and they are generally much smaller than Americans are accustomed to, are all that are desired. A man's business may increase every year, and yet de does not seem to be troubled with the thought of getting out of his modest apartment into larger ones, or buying a house

for its entire occupation.

The disposition on the increase of wealth, to enter a more aristocratic circle, by buying a stately mansion on a fashionable street, befying it with costly furniture, giving great entertainments, and appearing every afternoon with a grand equipage, is not a part of the German's character. If he indulges in these luxuries on anything less than a fortune, the presumption is that either he or his wife has been

to America. The first thing a wealthy German thinks of. nless his taste elevates him quite above material pleasures, is to store his cellar with wines of the oldest vintages, and to surround himself with an abundance of servants.

EMPTY BUILDINGS IN NEW YORK.

The New York World publishes a list of empy buildings and offices on Broadway, between Bowling Green and Fourteenth street, which it says is "really startling." Along this central horoughfare, out of 850 numbers, 280 display the renting card occasionally for a single office, and in not a few cases for the whele building: Besides these the notifications of deskroom to let are very frequent indeed, showing a general desire in many quarters to lighten the rent. The side streets from Broadway, and which for many styles of business are fully as good as-the main street itself, also show a good many offers "to let." Canal, Crosby, Greene, Grand, Spring, Mercer, Warren and Walker streets come from many quarters of the troubles be-tween capital and labor. Every one is more lave many fine stores and lofts waiting occu-Pennsylvania. The colliers of all the coal re- ing right and left. The World says the dullfrom being done. This of course is clear out to rent than there were a year or a year and a of right and reason, and there can be no doubt half ago. The temporary rentals which are that if it does not cease it will be put down by made are in many cases at a reduction of be-

DIFFICULTY OF BREATHING. - Vitrolated spirits of ether, one ounce; camphor, twelve grains. Make a solution, of which take a tablespoonful during the paroxysm, This is usually found to afford instantaneous relief in difficulty of breathing, depending on internal diseases and other causes, where the patient, half bread, no bread at all. Manufactures of from a very quick and laberious breathing is

PURIFY THE BLOOD .- To cure pimples and flesh worms, you must purify the blood. It is done by living on plain nutritions food, breathing a pure air day and night, sleeping enough, PRECIOUS STONES OF NORTH CAROLINA.—
It may not be generally known that the diamond, sapphire, amethyst, garnet, and many

These will cure you, and you will stay cured as

A subscriber to a paper died recently leaving

The Charlotte Democrat says: The Israelites (or Jews) of Charlotte number 125, men. wod pronounced by a professional lapedist in men and children -and a more energetic and

The People's Press.

SALEM, N. C.

THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1875. JOB PRINTING.

We call the attention of all classes who wish printing executed neatly, expeditiously, and upon reasonable terms, to the facilities offered at the People's Press Printing Establishment We can furnish, at short notice,

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PAMPHLETS, CATALOGUES POSTERS, NOTES, CHECKS,

DRAFTS, &c., &c THE CHANGE OF GAUGE.—We notice some

relative to the change of gauge of the North Carolina Railroad. Here very little is said about the matter. From what we learn, the seaport towns of this State have not been mafreight on the N.C. Railroad, but most of the N.C. produce shipped on this road, found its

way into Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va. Richmond will now, perhaps, come in for a large enact: share of the N. C. traffic, and divide the proceeds with Norfolk.

We have not much reason to complain of the Richmond & Danville Railroad Company, except that we are rather doomed to play "second fiddle" up here, just now, as it is somewhat annoying to have our Eastern mail matter delayed at Greensboro, and at length dragged along by an old worn-out engine, puffing and blowing like a wind-broken horse, all of which, we hore, will be remedied shortly.

We will publish the letter from Col. Buford, President of the Richmond & Danville Railroad Company, on the gauge question, which we find in the Goldsboro Messenger, next week. It appears that the intention was not to stop the change of gauge at Greensboro, and that but for the action of the Legislature the change would have been extended eastward at least as far as Raleigh, and perhaps to Goldsboro.

The New York Tribune of April 10th, comes to us with 16 full pages, one of them containing a large and correct engraving of their new building which was occupied by them on last Saturday. We saw the exterior last winter and admired its magnificent and harmonious proa fit domicil for the great journal which issues ty of snow and ice to be seen North. from within its walls. We have a lively recollection of its establishment 34 years ago, and have now before us several numbers of the shipping green peas from Florida to the North, weekly, of its first year, published by Greeley for a month past, at four dollars a bushel in & McElrath, 30 Ann Street. It was then con- the pod. sidered a most excellent journal. It succeeded The New Yorker, and was by far the most newsy journal of that day. It has been steadily growing since then, and now we have before us one of the largest and best newspapers of our country. Its circulation is rapidly and deservedly in-

creasing.

The Greensboro Patriot says, in his charge agricultural subjects. to the Grand Jury, at the present sitting of the Federal Court, Judge Dick fully expounded the Civil Rights bill. It says:

The charge to the Grand Jury was elaborate, and the Civil Rights bill fully expounded. He declined expressing an opinion as to the constitutionality of the act, deeming such expression premature. He gave about the same construction to the operation of the law as is set forth by the judges in Ohio and elsewhere, holding that the act gives the colored man no rights in this State that he did not possess be-fore under the old statue laws, with the exception of trial in the Federal Courts, if he so elect. He was positive as to the right of the State to regulate the marriage question; and held that the law only applied to railroads, steamboats, hotels and theatres, and did not necessarily place negroes and whites together in these, but only entitled the colored man to the same accommodation as the white man if he can afford it. Separate apartments and coaches could be designated for each race, and neither would infringe upon the rights of the other. This is substantially as we understood it, the position of the Judge.

publican, 53,789, Democrat, 2,809 Prohibition mium, or single copies for 15 cents. and 14 scattering; leaving the Democratic majority 6,661. The total vote for Congressmen in the State is 47,311 Republican, 51,093 Democratic, 1,909 Prohibition. The Prohibition vote. is almost wholly drawn from the Republican any previous vote in the State.

RESIGNED .- Mr. Spinner retires from the Treasury. He has served under six Secretaries of the Treasury, having been in office about fourteen years. The reason assigned for his resignation, is disagreement with Secretary Bristow, who, in Spinner's view, interfered with matters that should have been left to the Treasurer's own judgment. Gen. Spinner was miners' strike has broken down, like all such notified that his resignation would be in order. movements generally do. The new Treasurer is Mr. John C. New, Cashier of a bank at Indianapolis.

STORMS .- Accounts of destructive storms still reach us. On the 9th inst., a tornado passed over Edinburg, Illinois, destroying a church In "Sunny Italy" the winters are now quite and five dwellings.

They are still after the ring in New York.-Notice of attachment of Tweed's property has been filed, embracing everything known to be dog law, for the protection of sheep, and now in possession of Tweed at the time of his ex- the people of that Commonwealth set deadposure and which he passed into the hands of falls, with spikes in them, to entrap sheep reasons are: That the extravagance of the Leg-

OHIO .- The recent municipal elections in Ohio have gone Democratic.

We have received the monthly report of the Department of Agriculture from Washing- high postal rates (two cents each) that it is ton, for February and March. The report con- now cheaper and better for each person who tains interesting facts and figures.

Hon. M. W. RANSOM .- On our first page will be found an extract from the great speech and the extra cost of postage, and the paper of Senator Ransom, from this State, delivered | will be sent promptly.—Democrat. in the U.S. Senate. The pamphlet copy of this speech, duly received, contains 68 pages.

A REMARKABLE CASE. - We make the statecertainly one of the most remarkable cases on record.—Statesville Landmark. ue of mutton and wool.

THE BIRD LAW IN CERTAIN COUNTIES. The following is the law adopted at the recent session of the General Assembly, concerning

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful to kill or shoot, trap or net any partridges, quails, doves, robins, larks, mocking birds, or wild turkeys in the counties named between the first day of April and the first day of October in each and every year, and any porson so offending shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding ten dollars for each and every offense.

SEC. 2. That it shall be unlawful for any person to take by net, traps or kill with gun any birds mentioned in section 1 of this act on the lands of any person living within the boundaries of the following named counties, to wit: Davidson, Randolph, Rowan, Anson, Warren, Guilford, Rockingham, Orange, Caswell, Mecklenburg, and Edgecombe counties, without per-mission from the owner, or his agent of said lands, and any person so offending against the provisions of this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined ten dollars for each and every

of the State papers are considerably exercised THE LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS CON-CERNING THE LISTING OF POLL

> The following act, passed at the late session of the General Assembly, will be found of interest to a large class of persons:

An Act to direct the jurisdiction of the Superior Courts, over misdemeanors, in failing to list polls and property, and for other purposes. The General Assembly of North Carolina do

Section 1. That section 19, of chapter 115 of the laws of 1872-73, and section 19, of chapter 102 of Battle's Revisal, and section 19, of chapter 133 of the laws of 1873-'74, be amended by striking out "thirty days" whenever it ocof the words "one month."

SEC. 2. That no part of the costs, upon any indictment, under said sections, shall in any case be taxed against the county, in which the same may be found, nor shall said county, in any event be held liable for the same, or any

part thereof.
SEC. 3. That the Solicitors of the several districts are hereby required to dismiss all indicttricts are hereby required to dismiss all indict-ments, now pending under the sections referred tle, W. A. Gralam, B. F. Moore, and W. N. to in section 1 of this act, upon the exhibition H. Smith. the defendant of his tax receipts for such year or years, for which indictments have been Sheriff and fifty cents to the Solicitor.

SEC. 4. That all parties who fail to comply with the provisions of this act, as contained in section 3, shall be proceeded against, as if this act had not been passed. SEC. 5. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

THE WEATHER has afforded the newspapers, North, South, East and West, occasional items during the winter and spring, and even now, although we have had a few warm spring days,

In Southern Georgia and Florida they have had ripe strawberries for weeks, and have been

Strawberries and green peas have made their appearance in Charleston.

David Dickson, Esq., died at his home in Oxford, Ga., on the 16th ult., after a protracted

The last chance to get the Benbow House or some other large gift for two dollars and fif-ty cents! The drawing of the Grand Gift Con-cert, in Greensboro, N. C., has been deferred until April 19th, when it will, without any further delay, be proceeded with. Those wishing to invest can do so by sending to the Manager, but the largest caught with a hook this season, C. P. Menderhall, box 8, Greensboro, N. C., or of the agents at different places.

CAROLINA HOUSEHOLD MAGAZINE.-We occasionally receive a number of this interesting periodical published monthly by J. A. Bonitz, in Goldsboro. The March number, on our table, contains a good portrait of Hon. Wm. A. Graham, with a biographical sketch of this distinguished gentleman, by Maj. Seaton Gales, of Raleigh. This number also contains other in the room with him at the time. well written articles, and the enterprise of Mr Bonitz is certainly worthy of a liberal support. The publisher says: Hereafter we propose to give two portraits of North Carolina's most THE CONNECTICUT ELECTION.—The election our great men for a very small sum of moin Connecticut last week, resulted favorably to ney. As there are many who do not care for the Conservatives, by an increased majority, premium pictures, we have concluded to offer The total vote for Governor was 44,301 Re- the Magazine at \$1 50 a year, without pre-

OUR LIVING AND OUR DEAD .- We are in regular monthly receipt of this well conducted magazine, in which appear well written and party. The total vote for Governor is larger by 1,584, and that for Congressmen by 986 than and battles of the late civil war. The literary authentic sketches of the events, campaigns department is well supplied by Mrs. C. W. Harris, Oaksmith and Christian Reid (Miss Fisher, of Salisbury.) This publication contains a great deal of historical and statistical State information interesting to North Carolinians. Address Col. S. D. Pool, Raleigh, N.

The revivals in the Baptist and Methodist churches in Raleigh continue. There have been some 155 conversions in the Baptist and cinnati distillers had thirty days in which to

some 90 in the Methodist churches.

severe. They have had heavy snow storms there and ice four inches thick. The Virginia Legislature refused to pass a

killing dogs. A HINT TO ALL.-It has been the practice among many newspaper subscribers, after reading their paper, to mail it to some friend. The new United States law now in effect makes the paper third-class matter, and inflicts so desires that his friend should have the paper to subscribe for it directly at the office of publication, and have it sent from there. This will save all the trouble of wrapping and mailing,

A Texas paper asserts that sheep valued at seven million dollars are annually destroyed in that State by dogs. This seems almost incredible, but it is certain that the destruction of ment, upon unquestionable authority, that a sheep by dogs in the whole country involves woman in Wilkes county has given birth to an enormous loss. Maryland, Virginia and triplets (three children) five times in succes- North Carolina are great sufferers from this sion. The children of each birth have been dog in this respect more than counterbalance raised, and the whole number are now alive any service he renders. It is pleasant to have -fifteen. The children are all well developed, and without the least malformation. This is lturists will have to choose between the sentimental estimation of dogs and the val-

STATE ITEMS.

A bill, for the benefit of disabled N. C. soldiers, passed the late General Assembly, and is now a law. It provides that the Governor shall furnish each soldier who was furnished with an artificial limb under a previous act of the Legislature, and which has been worn out or become useless, another limb, and that any disabled or maimed soldier who has not received an artificial limb or commutation therefor, and all who have received heretofore commutations for the same, shall be entitled to an artificial limb or commutation therefor. Those who have lost both eyes are authorized to receive \$100.—Democrat.

Mr. Belknap. Secretary of War, writes to Gov. Brogden for a list of all the representa-tives elected to the 44th Congress, specifying each Congressional District where there is likely to be a contest over the seat. Gov. Brogden replied to him there was no contest and forwarded a list of the representatives .- Raleigh

Successful Surgical Operation.—Dr. E. Burke Haywood, assisted by Drs. B. F. Haywood, Hines, James McKee, Little and Royster, removed what is known as a fatted tumor from the right breast of Mrs. O. A. Smith, of Raleigh, on Friday. The tumor was very large, and its removal, leaving the patient in good condition and now improving, attests the skill of our medical profession. The operation was borne with a Christian fortitude, and the exhibition of so much patience under affliction won the admiration of the skilled surgeons. We are glad to know that her complete restoration to health is considered certain .- Raleigh

A number of ladies of North Carolina, after consulting together on the subject, have issued a circular dated at Chapel Hill, in which they He died broke.—Patriot. broach the praiseworthy scheme of raising a fund for the support and care of the poor and infirm among their own sex in the State. The circular says: "These ladies propose to raise such a sum as will purchase a house, with land attached, fit it up for occupation, and leave something to be invested for an income. Apand it is hoped the appeal will not fall on listless ears. Communications on the subject may e addressed to Mrs. C. P. Spencer, Chapel

The Norfolk Virginian says: The shad fishfound against him, and the payment of cost, which shall be fifty cents each to the Clerk and ters this season have lost money heavily on aceries of the Carolina sounds and adjacent wacount of the protracted floods. All the seines have been taken out of the Roanoke river, and unless the herring catches turn out profitably those directly engaged in the business will experience great loss. In the sounds the gillers are doing fair, and all the shad coming to market are taken this way. The result is shad are high, though the run is nearly over, and will continue so until the expiration of the season.

Hutchens, charged with killing Alex. Maews, in Yadkin, last Christmas, was tried at Davie Court last week, and convicted of manportions even in its then unfinished state. It is it is cool again, and we learn there is yet plen- slaughter, and sentenced to ten years imprisonment in the penitentiary.

> Col. Satterthwaite, and old and prominent member of the Washington, Beaufort county, bar, died very suddenly in that place, last week.

> Mr. David Woodson, an old typo, and a brother of the late Obadiah Woodson, is again in Salisbury, after an absence of 28 years.

The Greensboro Patriot says it is reported that Judge Pearson will be the candidate of The celebrated farmer and agricultural writer, both parties in Yadkin county for Convention.

A WHOLE TOWN FULL OF BABIES .- A gentleman writing us from Morganton says: JUDGE DICK ON THE CIVIL RIGHTS | the noted "Dickson Cotton," so extensively | in a population of not quite 800, 300 are babies, used in the South, and wrote several works on agricultural subjects.

or if not exactly babies the eldest are not able to keep the youngest out of the fire." "Young man, go West!"—Charlotte Observer.

The four negro robbers of the Barksdale, Van depot who fled to this State were arrested in Milton last Monday. The goods have not been wants, are greater than ever.

The Hickory Press says: Many fish have been rought in from the Catawba river this Spring, was on exhibition at Squire Bruns' las Saturday. It was a "cat fish," weighing 64 pounds, two feet long and six inches between its eyes.

The Greensboro Patriot says: Hodgin Fentress, a highly respected citizen of Randolph county, living near Cedar Falls, aged about 65 years, accidentally shot himself in the back of the head and expired on Friday of last week, by carelessly handling a pistol. He was getting some papers from a drawer, preparing to go to Asheboro, and let the pistol fall. No one was

GENERAL NEWS.

BANKRUPTCY IN ENGLAND .- It seems that the United States is not the only country in assure you that we have a very prominent men, instead of one. Subscribers which most of the bankrupt cases are handled can thus obtain an attractive picture gallery of our great men for a very small sum of money. As there are many who do not care for were wholly absorbed by legal costs; that only 23 bankrupts were discharged out of 4,437 in four years; that 500 trustees were summoned before the courts at the instance of the comptroller for neglecting duty; that 10 trustees had been removed from office, 16 had become bankrupt, 10 had been committed to prison for contempt of court, and 41 were not to be found; and finally that the average cost of realizing the assets was 68 per cent., while in 131 cases it was 100 per cent. The extent of bankruptcy in England is shown by the aggregate liabilities of the bankrupts, which in 1872, were £14,287,-468; in 1873 they were, £14,184,812.

THE REVENUE.-Referring to the revenue bill as passed, the New York Tribune says:
"The effect of leaving out the tax on whiskey
on hand can hardly be appreciated by those
who are unfamiliar with the subject. It puts into the pockets of the owners of spirits a clear THE MINERS' STRIKE. — The Pennsylvania profit of twenty cents on every gallon, or \$8 on every barrel of whiskey now made. The profits to some single distillers in the West will be \$1,000,000 each, and the lowest estimate of the aggregate profit is \$5,000,000 to \$7,000,000. The bill as originally reported would have brought this money into the Treasury." Cffrproduce spirits while this bill was pending, and luring that time manufactured 1,260,000 gal lons of whiskey, which, according to the estimate made, realized for them \$252,000. Louisville and other manufacturing or producing cities did equally as well.

The veto by Gov. Chamberlain of the bill to provide for the liquidation of the floating debt of the State is an evidence that he is determin-ed to act for the best interests of the State. His islature would make it an unpardonable injustice to the people to increase the burden of taxation; that a vast majority of the claims included in the Liquidation bill are fraudulent; and the Commissioners appointed by the Legislature to pass upon the claims, do not command the confidence ofthe Executive or that of the public. This is the truth in a nutshell.

FANATICISM IN CUBA .- A terrible case of fanaticism super-induced by spirit rappings is now undergeing investigation in Pinar del Rio. A mother, believing she was actuated by the orders of the spirits, tore out the eyes of her son and afterwards attempted to tear out her own. This she did openly, as a solemn sacrifice, in the presence of the other women of the family, who prayed in a loud voice while it was going on. All the parties have been arrested and are now on trial.

A BIGAMIST'S PREFERENCE.-John Bingham was tried in the New York Court of Quarter sessions on Monday, on a charge of bigamy. Both his wives were in the court-room. He pleaded guilty and refused to change the pleat The recorder asked him which he would prefer, to be discharged to live with his two wives, or sentenced to State prison for three years. The prisoner promptly expressed a preference to be locked up, and the judge sentenced him to the State prison for three years at hard labor.

The three richest men in the British House of Commons are self-made men, with no family arms. One is Sir George Elliott, who made \$2,250,000 last year; the others are Messrs. a year each.

The salary of \$40,000 per annum paid to President Jewett of the Erie Railway, is the largest paid to any railroad official in the United States, and it is believed larger than any paid to any railroad officer in the world.

The residence at Washington in which Bancroft is completing his History of the United States has had for its tenants James K. Paulding, Washington Iruing, John P. Kennedy, William Wirt, Peter Force and Jared Sparks.

Citizens of Augusta, Ga., have contributed six thousand dollars to sufferers from the late tornado, which has desolated several counties in the State from Chattahoochie to the Savannah

Emigration westward is unprecedented; 9,-390 have passed through Omaha since March 1st; 1,000 are waiting there for the cars.

A Mr. Shirley, of Chester County, Pa., was oisoned a few days ago. Having chills, he bought from a clerk in R. J. White's store what was thought to be quinine. Mixing the powder in whiskey, he took a dose, and in three hours was dead. The clerk had sold him morphene through mistake.-Lancaster Ledger.

Geo. W. Hill, nicknamed "Cooley Keys," a noted gambler, passed in his chips in New York last week. He won and lost fortunes, and had the reputation of being the most fastidiously and elaborately dressed man in Gotham. He changed suites three times a day, and sent to Paris for shirt bosoms that cost \$250 a dozen in gold. His gloves he bought by the \$1,000 worth and threw away four or five pairs a day.

The Marion Star relates one of the freaks of the late storm thus: The tornado picked up a little "nig" on Dr. Singletary's plantation, whirled him through the air like a top for 30 yards and left him laughing at the storm. He fell on his head of course. A cow was picked peal is made to all parties and all denominations, ap on Col. Harrington's plantation, carried about the same distance, thrown upon her head, and her neck was broken.

The lower house of the Prussian Diet have passed to its third reading the bill withdrawing the State grants from the Roman Catholic

A dispatch from Venice, dated April 6th says: The festivities attending the meeting of the Emperor of Austria and the King continued today. There was a review of 12,000 troops this morning, which was witnessed by 75,000 per-

There is not much chance for run-away matches in Prussia under the recently adopted civil marriage act. The consent of the father is necessary before wedlock, up to the end of the young man's twenty-fifth year and the young woman's twenty-fourth; but if the father be dead, then the mother's is required; and if neither parent be living, that of the sponsors is required.

We hear that Col. Buford will institute suit on the bond of indemnity given last year under the injunction prohibiting the change of guage of the North Carolina railroad, laying his damages to the extent of the bond, which is \$50,

SPRING GREETING.

To our numerous Customers :

We have the pleasure the past year were very satisfactory, and that our facilities for supplying R. H. BATTLE, Jr., President.

He write to advise you of the which we have recently purchased for CASH, in the Northern Cities, and are now offering for sale.

To enumerate the many articles of our stock is unnecessary, since you all know the various lines of merchandise that we keep. We can only full and attractive supply of Goods, Losses Promptly Adjusted and Paid. and that our prices are as LOW AS

We hope that our present customers may continue their dealings with us, and that other friends and strungers may give us a call before supplying their needs To all we extend a cardial welcome.

Gratefully, PATTERSON & CO. Salem, N. C., April 15th, 1875.

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Salem, N. C., April 8th, 1875.-14-tf. THE DAILY JOURNAL,

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We cannot enumerate all that we have, but beg that you will all come and examine our steck

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Railroad, from Greensboro to Salem, closes every day, except Sundays, at 8, a. m.; due every day, except Sundays, at 8, a. m.; due every day, except Sunday, by 6.10, p. m.

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day, at 8 a. m.

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ville and Fulton: closes every Friday at 7, a. m
due, every Saturday, by 7, p. m.

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Walkertown mail, via Salem Chapel, White Road,
Belew's Creek Mills and Blakely: closes every Friday, at 4, p. m.; due, every Saturday, by 7, p. m.
Huntsville mail closes Monday, Wednesday and
Friday, at 8, a. m.; due Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 3 p. m.

H. W. SHORE, P. M.

DR. GRISSOM'S LECTURE on Saturday night last, in the Academy Chapel, was well received by a large audience. The worthy Doctor is known as the able Superintendent of the State Insane Asylum, and a gentleman of literary taste, scholarly accomplishments, and finished culture, and though the subject embraced a wide field and consumed considerable time in its delivery, yet the audience evinced no unbroken interest, until the close.

After a general review of the causes of insanity, as the result of disease, often traceable Goods than ever before, and offers them at botin families for many generations, the main tom prices. She also has a fine lot of Jet Jewelpoint of the lecture was reached, viz: "The ry, Necklaces, &c., all late styles of goods, Illustrious Insane."

Some of the Doctor's positions were startling, yet well fortified by evidence, evincing a research seldom met with in this superficial age. Of course, it is impossible in a brief newspaper article to give even an outline of the lecture, and consequently we will allude only to a few points.

What the world often calls eccentricities were noted as streaks of insanity.

Dr. Johnson, the stern old Lexicographer, was full of those freaks of absent-mindedness, and other weaknesses which were clearly traceable as nothing less than fits of aberration of the mind. Pope. Cowper, Byron. Walter Scott, not forgetting Shakespeare, Coleridge and other distinguished devotees of literature, came in for their share of periodical insanity, and in many instances, so marked as to be incontrovertible. The crazy enthusiasm of Joan of Are is patent to all. Even Napoleon had his good and evil omens, his lucky and unlucky stars, and is represented to lave lost a battle on account of one of these superstitious fits. In Swedenborg, who pretended to prophesy and see visions, remaining in a trance for days at a time, we see a species of insane credulity which this remarkable enthusiast enstilled into a considerable religious sect in Europe

and America. Yet with all this array of facts, of the tencultivated minds, there was nothing sombre or grim in the lecture. On the contrary, the quiet and genial humor which frequently bubbled to the surface, while delineating some of the eccentricities of these worthies, rendered the evening's entertainment amusing as well as

A FINE LOT OF NEW STYLE CALICO, this week. J. L. FULKERSON. Salem, N. C. April 1, 1875.

Patterson & Co. are receiving a very hand- the case will be the result. some stock of General Merchandise, which they propose to sell at very reasonable prices. They have added to their large assortment an attractive line of Carpets, Figor Oil Cloths, &c., to which public attention is directed.

TAX LISTING IN BROADBAY TOWNSHIP.-At F. A. Tucker's, Waughtown, Thursday April 29th. At Lowder's School-House, Friday April 30th. At Noah Hine's, Saturday May 1st. F. D. L. MESSER, Township Clerk.

MORE NEW AND BEAUTIFUL DRESS GOODS received this week. J. L. FULKERSON. Salem, N. C., April 1, 1875.

PUB. Docs .- We acknowledge the receipt, from Hon. Wm. M. Robbins, our able Representative in Congress, of vol. 2, ninth census, containing the vital statistics of the United States, embracing the tables of deaths, births, sex and age, to which are added the statistics of the blind, deaf and dumb, insane and idiot-

Also Annual Report of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institute, showing the operations, expenditures and condition of the In-

ARRESTED .- We learn that Shep Johnson was put in the jail of this county, in default of bail, charged with having procured a horse in Winston, riding the animal off and offering-it for sale, passing under assumed names.

THE LATEST NOVELTY IN SPRING DRESS GOODS, were also found. CARRE'-FONDANT PLAIDS. "DUNKIRK SUITINGS,"

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THE SALEM MILL.—The repairs of the Salem Mill are progressing as fast as circumstances will permit, When completed, the establishment will have been thoroughly overhauled, and turbine water wheels substituted, which will be a great improvement, enabling the mill to do considerably more grinding, we are

People should be very careful when they sit down in a shoemaker's shop. A young man called on Riggs the other day, and not noticing, sat down on a cake of wax that was lying on a goods box, and commenced to tell Riggs about a patent churn that he saw, when a room of school girls passed by the shop. Jumping up, he ran to the door to look at the girls, leaving the gable-end of his pants sticking to the box. Riggs managed, after a great deal of trouble, to cobble him up so that he could go to his

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DEATH OF MISS BYNUM.-MISS MARY BY-NUM, daughter of Judge W. P. Bynum, of Char- One copy one year (postage paid,) lotte, breathed her last on the morning of the 7th, after a lingering illness, aged 25 years.

CONVENTION IN STOKES .- The Danbury Reporter says, the names of Col. Ben Baily, Joel F. Hill and Dr. Moir, have been suggested as candidates for the Convention, either of whom can be confided in.

aged 57 years and 1 month.

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Good to fine

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Good to fine

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Extra

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Wrappers-Common to medium 15 00 to 20 00

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J. Davis, J. D. Hanes, John Haynes, R. Henry Jones, Gidian Livengood, Wm. Lomax, Abram Le-nair, (col.) J. H. Myers, Aquilla Pitts, Dick Reyn-olds, Rev. Wm. Rawlings, Jos. B. Reich, Wm. Reed, Gedion Shouse, P. S. Torrence, David Tesh, Wil-

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THE RAID IN YADKIN.—Last week we briefy noticed the raid by U. S. revenue officers on illicit distillers in Yadkin County. We learn since that the party operated near Yadkinville, caught several persons, destroyed thirteen stills, Flour, emptying the whiskey, beer, &c., all in one day. Information had been given of certain illicit distillers, whereupon official instruction was given to seize, confiscate and destroy stills, fixtures, and whiskey found in possession of certain Molasses,

Another account says about 35 stills, some in Butter Butter 25 a 00 | Beeswax, 28 a 30 | Peas, 1 00 a 00 | Clover Seed, 0 00 a 8 00 | Apples, green, 75 a 1 00 | Home grown; 0.00 a 0.00 | Barrels Flour, Fruit 50 | Potatoes, sw. 75 a 80 | Brick, 6.00 a 10.00 | Shingles, Coffee, 20 a 30 | Shingles, Coffee, 8 a 15 | Hay, per cwt. 60 a 75 | Rags, 2½ a 3 | Dried peel, peach, 12½ a 22 | Butter Beans, 13 | " unpeel ½ " 6a 8 | Dried Cherries 00 to 00 | Dried Blackberries, 0 use and some not were cut up, destroying about \$10,000 worth of property.

BLEACHED MUSLINS, cheaper than they have been in 15 years. J. L. FULKERSON. Salem, N. C., March 25th, 1875.

We are pleased to learn that Wm. G. Bahnson & Co., are doing a very fair business at their Carriage Manufactory in this place. They have first rate workmen in their employ. They will run a Blacksmith Shop in connection with their establishment, on the site of the 'Senseman Shop."

GREAT ATTRACTION.-Mrs. Douthit, of this place, has just returned from Baltimore, where she has purchased a larger stock of Millinery and very attractive. It will pay to examine

NOVELTIES AT THE NOTION STORE.—Fresh stock of the most beautiful and fashionable goods ever offered, have just been opened at the Notion Store. Mr. Blickenderfer carefully selects his stock and is therefore enabled to offer great inducements to purchasers. Go and see them.

Pic Nic .- The young ladies and gentlemen of Winston, pic-niced at Tise's pond, four LEAFmiles distant, last Saturday.

ACCIDENT .- A son of Mr. Levin Hine, of Winston, received a wound on the right cheek bone, below the eye, from the paddle slipping Lucs-Common to Medium out of the hand of a ball-player. A slight wound only apparently, was inflicted; but a few days thereafter erysipelas made its appear- | LEAF-Common to medium ance, and the boy became seriously ill. He is thought to be improving now.

The ladies of the Winston Methodist church have a Sewing Society for the benefit of that

A spit of snow, Tuesday.

Tobacco.-Owing to the favorable weather Fayetteville, April 8.—Bacon 12 a 15; Flour, \$5.00 a \$5 75; Corn 1 05 a 1 10; Oats 85 a 00; Rye, \$1 25; Wheat, \$0 00 a \$0 00; for farming operations, not much tobacco is coming in. Prices are slowly advancing, and dency to insanity of many of the most highly persons who can do so had better hold their Lard, 16 a 17; Brandy, \$2 00; Whisky, corn, crops until the manufacturers are ready for \$150 a \$170; rye, a \$200 a \$255; Salt Charlotte. April 12.— Bacon 11½ a 12½; Flour. \$3 00 a \$3 25; Corn. 90 a 0 90; Dats. 65

The Presbyterian church, at Winston, has peen enclosed with a neat paling fence.

\$2 00. DAVIDSON COURT is now in session. Small LIST OF LETTERS. docket for this term, and it is thought court REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE AT SALEM, N. C., April 1st, 1875. will probably adjourn Saturday. The only case of much importance is the well known railroad Miss Margaret L. Crouch, Mrs. Margaret Cooper, Mrs. A. E. Harrison, Miss R. H. Harman, Miss Fansuit from this county, set for Wednesday. All ny Murphy, Mrs. Elizabeth Marshall, Miss C. H. Null, Mary Shore, Miss Eliza J. Thomas. the interested parties will probably not be present, and consequently another continuance of

Farmers in Davidson, like everywhere else, are behind with their spring work. Wheat

looks well. M. H. Pinnix made a speech on Tuesday.

It was a beautiful evening in April, the lingering rays of the setting sun were seen on the tops of the distant hills, the birds had begun to tune their evening songs, and the sweet perfume from numerous flower gardens was wafted on the gentle breeze, when a delicate young lady left her room and strolled down behind the wood-shed and ate six raw onions and a the wood-shed and ate six raw onions and a LEGALLY AUTHORIZED.

THE TEXAS GIFT CONCERT ASSOCIATION, pound weight.

STOKES COUNTY .- The Stokes county taxes, according to the Reporter, are: Value of real and personal estate for County purposes general fund, 31 cents on \$100 valuation. For County deficiency, 31 cents on \$100 valuation. Total State and County will be one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property. Poll Tax for State and County three 2d Capital Gift, 25,000. dollars on each poll. The subjects under Schedule B. and C., the same for the County as for the State, which can be seen by reference to the Revenue Act, published a few weeks since.

AN INDIAN BURYING GROUND .- We learn that the late freshets in the Yadkin river, on the plantation of Pleasant Hunt, Esq., in this county, developed signs of an Indian burying-ground, and upon examination ten skeletons were found lying upon their faces, with their legs drawn up. Large numbers of white and blue beads

An Indian village was located in this bottom, numerous specimens of rude crockery and arrow heads have been found in the neighbor-

We regret to learn that C. H. Fogle, of Fogle Brothers, was hurt yesterday in his mill by a piece of timber that he was sawing with the rip-saw flying back and striking him above the eye. Upon going to press we have not learned whether the eye was injured or not.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT .- A son of Mr. Peace Crews in this county, was badly hurt by the running away of a team. The horse and wagon passed over the boy and bruised his head considerably.

NEW BOOK.

Mr. N. ALBERT SHERMAN, will call on our citizens, soliciting subscriptions to the Edward King's " Great South." This book is elegantly bound in various styles, and should be in every Southern gentleman's library. Many of our people will remember the papers when published in Scribner, particularly that part relating to North Carolina. The work has been thoroughly revised, and makes an elegant volume of choice reading, splendidly illustrated with superb engravings, and pronounced by competent judges to be the most entertaining POPLINS, and instructive book of the season.

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2nd. I buy only for CASH, and my discounts are already a very heavy portion of the profits of others. 31d. Having a buyer constantly in the Northern markets, can always give my patrons the benefit of any decline, and am 12 50 to 20 00 repared to offer novelties.

35 00 to 40 00 4th. Having TWO stores, I buy in LARGE QUANTITIES, and from FIRST HANDS only, and thereby save the Job-10 00 to 12 00 bers' profit, in the purchase of my stock. 12 50 to 16 00 5th. I have pruned my expenses to the very lowest figures, and give my customers benefit of same. 17 00 to 20 00 18 00 to 25 00 Thanking my friends and the community at large for their kind encouragement in the past, I now assure them that I will

endeavor to do more than deserve it in the future, and respectfully solicit a continuance of their patronage. SPECIALTY. JOBBING

COUNTRY MERCHANTS will do well to call and examine my Stock before purchasing elsewhere,

WINSTON, N. C., APRIL 8th, 1875.

WILSON SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINE. WHY SO POPULAR?

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There are about TWENTY other Sewing Machine Manufacturers in the United States, most of them or their Agents, have taken special pains to "fight" the Wilson Sewing Machine, and prejudice the people against it, ever since it was first placed upon the market. Notwithstanding this selfish malignity leveled at it, the Wilson has rapidly grown into unprecedented popularily in every section of the country, where it has been introduced. From the date of their patent, four years ago, to the present time, the Wilson Company's record of sales has no parallel in the history of any other company, for the first four years of its existence: this is evidence incontestable, and that no sophistry can overleap, no stretch of human ingenuity evade; that the Worldrenowned Wilson New-underfeed Shuttle Sewing Machine is what an intelligent and working people require for practical purposes. All Machines war-ranted, and kept in working order, free of charge after sold. When you decide to buy a Machine for your family, call at Capt. Gilmer's Store, in Winton, or S. Blickenderfer's Notion Store, Salem, and

examine the Wilson before purchasing any other. A. M. JONES, Agent, For Davie, Davidson, Forsyth and Stokes Counties

State of North Carolina.

FORSYTH COUNTY:--IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

E. A. DeSchweinitz, Plaintiff, against
Daniel J. Swicegood and Sarah
C. Swicegood, Defendants Clubs can be organized in localities where we have STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

To the Sheriff of Davidson County,-Greeting You are hereby commanded to summon Daniel J. Swicegood and Sarah C. Swicegood, the Defendants above named, if they be found within your county, to be and appear before the Judge of our Superior Court, at the court to be held for the county of Forsyth, at the Courthouse in Winston on the 8th Monday after the 3rd Monday of March, 1875, and answer the complaint which will be deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county, within the first three days of the next term thereof, and let the said defendants take notice that if they fail to answer the said complaint within that time, the plaintiff will take judgment against them for the sum of two hundred and ninety eight dollars, with interest thereon from the sixth day of May, 1872, till paid. Herein fail not, and of this Summons make due

return.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 20th day of February, 1875.

C. S. HAUSER,

Clerk of the Superior Court of Forsyth County.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court by affidavit, that the above named Plaintiff has a cause of action against said defendants, and that said defendants are not residents of this State. It is therefore ordered, that the summons in said case, a copy of which is hereto annexed, be served by publication for six successive weeks in the People's Press, a newspaper published in the town of Salem, in said county.

Said Defendant's are hereby notified that a warrant of attachment was taken out against their estate, at the time of issuing said summons for the claim named therein, and which is due to the Plaintiff by note of defendants, and that said warrant is returnable at the time and place of the summons. At office, at Winston, N. C., March 15th, 1875. C. S. HAUSER, C. S. C

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My darling, I wonder that heaven Should give such a treasure to me. Eight-nine-ten-eleven! my precious, Time flies so when I am with you-It seems but a moment I've been here, And now, must I say it-Adieu!

Oh, Mag, you are heavy!-I'm tired; So sit in the rocker I pray;
Your weight seems a hundred and ninety.
When you plump down in that sort of way;
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And I want to finish this novel,
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It's not for another hew dress?
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The woodman's eye brightened; the old flame lit up his countenance; a patriotic halo seemed to brighten the heart of the wagoner where he stood, whip in hand about to tickle the off mule's car, and thus replied:

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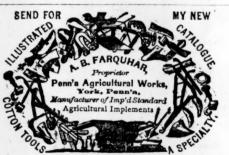
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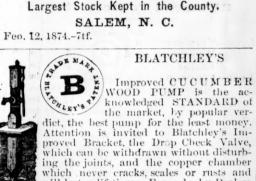


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